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Our Case No. 13097/3

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
John S. Lollar )  
Serial No. 10/813,507 ) Examiner: Terra C. Gibbs  
Filing Date: Mar. 30, 2004 ) Group Art Unit No. 1635  
For: NUCLEIC ACID AND AMINO ACID ) Confirmation No: 5299  
SEQUENCES ENCODING HIGH- )  
LEVEL EXPRESSOR FACTOR VIII )  
POLYPEPTIDES AND METHODS )  
OF USE )

**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated May 12, 2009, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to withdraw the objections and rejections to this application and to grant allowance of this Application in view of the following remarks and amended claims.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.